Andrea Bates

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Sent: Wednesday, June 29, 2022 12:43 PM

To: Andrea Bates

Subject: 5-11 Washington Project

Hi Andrea,

I just forwarded below message to Ethan Parsons and got a message that he is out of the office. I want to be sure my letter to the Planning Board gets to them well ahead of tomorrow night's meeting. Please forward if you are able to, and if not, please make Ethan aware of my communication first thing tomorrow morning.

Thank you, JoAnn Amatucci

Dear Planning Board,

As we look to tomorrow night's meeting on the Washington St condo topic, I see an updated proposal that was posted on June 2. This new proposal reflects that 8 trees along the railroad tracks are to be removed. It appears that they are coming down to make way for a new rain garden behind the common parking spaces. The new rain garden looks to be some sort of a raised system like a raised septic system??

- 1. I would hate to see these big, beautiful, healthy trees come down.
- 2. With the new raised rain garden, where will all the snow go?

I certainly hope that this will be thoroughly discussed on Thursday night, as I find this a major change to the plans.

Thank you, JoAnn Amatucci 24 Washington St